

AVOID CLASH OF FACTIONS AMONG IRISH

Orangemen Celebrate Day
With Booming Cannon
and Parades.

CARSON HEAD OF LINE

Projectiles Are Fired Over Na-
tionalists' Quarter of Belfast,
but No One Is Injured.

Londonderry, Ireland, July 12.—Orangemen began the celebration of the anniversary of the battle of the Boyne with a cannonade, during which they projected explosives so they burst over residences in the Catholic section of the city. The nationalists, believing the cannonade a prelude to aggressive action on the part of the Orangemen, organized for defense, but up to noon no collision had taken place.

While Orangemen were attending church Sunday and the police were busy guarding their possessions, nationalist volunteers brought in two automobile loads of rifles.

Belfast, Ireland, July 12.—Insistent demand of the Protestant portion of the province of Ulster for exclusion from operation of the Irish home rule bill lent added interest today to the celebration of the battle of the Boyne. A celebration was carried out here with great enthusiasm. Sir Edward Carson rode at the head of 5,000 Orangemen accompanied by fife and drum bands and including a sprinkling of brethren from the United States and British colonies. The march was through the city of Belfast to Drumbragh, where a great open air meeting was addressed by Carson and other leaders. The nationalists' quarter of Belfast was carefully avoided by the demonstrators and on no occasion during the procession did the rival factions come in contact. A great crowd of tourists, including many Americans, came to see the procession and hear the speeches.

Drumbragh, July 12.—The Orangemen's demonstration here culminated in a scene of intense enthusiasm around a tiny platform, where Leader Carson, with a bible in his hand, pledged the covenanters never to surrender to coercion, to remain loyal to the throne and never to waiver in support of the leaders in the fight against home rule.

Battle Clash on Religion.
The battle of the Boyne was fought on July 11, 1690, three miles west of Drogheda, on the banks of the Boyne, Ireland. The troops of James II., 30,000 strong, were defeated by the forces of William III., with a loss of 1,500 men. The forces of William III. were about the same in number, but not more than 500 lost their lives in the battle.

It was this battle that assured the ascendancy of Protestantism in England and was fatal to the cause of James II. An obelisk 150 feet high marks the scene of the battle, the anniversary of which is celebrated July 12 each year.

After the battle of the Boyne the Irish Catholics, who on account of their Jacobite leanings were oppressed by the English, began to form various semi-revolutionary societies. In opposition the Irish Protestants formed the Royal Orange Institution, the members of which were known as Orangemen.

The object of this organization was to oppose Roman Catholicism and to maintain the union of England and Ireland and the Protestant succession to the crown. Parliament was compelled to check the turbulence of the organization on several occasions and from 1813 to 1828 it was suspended in Ireland.

Children's Home Gets \$50,000.
Bloomington, Ill., July 12.—The Illinois Children's Home and Aid society has been bequeathed \$50,000 by the will of Mrs. Madeline Huling, who died recently at Kankakee county.

BANK QUIZ BEGUN BY GRAND JURORS
Examiner Harkin First Witness in Investigation of Lormer Institution.

Chicago, Ill., July 12.—Investigation of the affairs of the defunct La Salle Street Trust & Savings bank was begun today by the Cook county grand jury. Bank Examiner Harkin was the first witness. A federal grand jury to inquire into the bank's transactions while it was a national institution was organized by Judge Landis.

THE WEATHER

Forecast Till 7 P. M. Tomorrow, for Rock Island, Davenport, Moline and Vicinity.

Fair tonight and Tuesday; slightly cooler tonight.
Temperature at 7 a. m., 75. Highest yesterday, 89. Lowest last night, 73.

Velocity of wind at 7 a. m., 8 miles per hour.

Precipitation, .05 inch.

Relative humidity at 7 p. m., 71; at 7 a. m., 74.

Stage of water, 10.5, a rise of .5 in last 48 hours.

J. M. Sherier, Local Forecaster.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Evening stars: Mercury, Venus, Mars
Morning stars: Saturn, Jupiter, Planet Venus, 1 degree north of the first magnitude star Regulus, handle of the Sickle formed by constellation Leo, low in the west.

MISS BRANBANDER IS LEADER IN RACE

Many New Nominations Received in 1600 Block Popularity Contest.

Interest in the 1600 block popularity contest is increasing daily. Many new nominations were received during the week. Kathryn Branbander, by virtue of hard work on the part of friends during the week is now leading the contest for the \$150 diamond ring with 9,090 votes. Cora Liedtke is a close second with 8,470 votes. Eleven candidates have already passed the 2,000 mark and from now on the race will be an exciting one. Votes are secured by purchases of 5 cents or over from the merchants in the 1600 block. Votes are deposited at The Argus office.

The following candidates have received over 2,000 votes up to date:

Katherine Branbander	9,090
Cora Liedtke	8,470
Bessie Barth	7,650
Elsie Hill	5,195
Erna Loucks	4,860
Leona Donovan	4,575
Martha Sells	3,950
Gertrude Lewis	3,405
Sarah Wadsworth	3,010
Margaret DeKeyser	2,420
Mamie Christy	2,010

END JOY RIDE IN AN INDIAN DANCE

Six Moline Young Men Are Arrested Tripping the Steps of the Aborigines.

Six Moline men concluded a joy ride at the corner of Twenty-fifth street and Fourth avenue early Sunday morning with the staging of an Indian war dance. They had all been drinking, and were arrested by Officer Berry and taken to the city jail.

The six came from Moline in an auto and stopped at the corner. For awhile they tangoed and hesitated, but these latest steps not being sufficiently boisterous, they soon took to the aborigines' terpsichorean pastime.

They gave their names this morning as P. Johnson, L. Howard, J. Anderson, H. Smith, H. Witt and W. Smith. They were arraigned before Police Magistrate Smith and were released on promise that they would behave in the future.

FOUR ARE AGAIN NAMED OFFICIALS

Executive Council of Royal Neighbors Reappoints Old Officers Before Closing.

Four officers of the Royal Neighbors of America were appointed just previous to the adjournment of the executive council of the society Saturday evening.

In all of the cases the present incumbents were rechosen. They follow:

Editor—Mrs. Nellie Preble of Chicago.
Legal Adviser—Ulysses H. Schreer of Davenport.

Special Adviser—Mrs. L. Brumagin, St. Louis, Mo.
Special Investigator—Mrs. E. D. Watt, Omaha, Neb.

While the executive council adjourned, the board of auditors is still in session perusing the books of the officials. It is expected that the board will complete its work by the end of this week.

Nebraska Heat Fatal.
Lincoln, Neb., July 12.—There was one death here yesterday when government thermometers in the street recorded a maximum of 110 degrees. At Beatrice it was 108, and at Fremont 106.

SEEK RETURN OF MILLIONS SUNK IN ROAD

New Haven Stockholders to Sue Morgan, Rockefeller and Others.

IS CRIME OF CENTURY

Interstate Commerce Commission Recommends Prosecution of Mellen and Allies.

Boston, Mass., July 12.—Attorneys representing minority stockholders in the New Haven railroad have demanded that the directors join their clients in a suit to recover \$125,000,000 alleged to have been wasted by the management. Suits will be filed this week against the estate of J. P. Morgan, William Rockefeller and others.

Washington, D. C., July 12.—One of the most glaring instances of maladministration revealed in all the history of American railroading is the interstate commerce commission's characterization of the findings in the investigation of the New Haven railroad financial affairs reported today to the senate in a report of 30,000 words, probably the most drastic in terms of any ever made by the commission. The New Havens directors were pronounced criminally negligent. Evidence pointing to violations of the law has been transmitted to the district attorneys of Massachusetts, Rhode Island and New York and the federal department of justice.

Reasonable estimate of the loss to the New Haven by reason of waste and mismanagement, says the report, will amount to between sixty and ninety million, and the directors should be made individually liable to the civil and criminal laws for the manner in which they discharged their trust.

Mellen Under Fire.
All of the commission's strictures were upon the management of the New Haven system under former President Mellen. The present management, the report says, cooperated with the commission and rendered substantial assistance in the investigation. The report cites these significant incidents in the loose, extravagant and improvident administration of the finances of the New Haven:

Boston & Maine despoliment.
Iniquity of the Westchester acquisition.

Double price paid for the Rhode Island trolleys.

Recklessness in purchase of Connecticut and Massachusetts trolleys at prices in excess of the market value.

Unwarranted expenditures of large amounts in educating public opinion.

Disposition, without knowledge of directors, of hundreds of thousands of dollars for influencing public sentiment.

Financial Legerdemain.
Habitual payment of unitemized vouchers without any clear specification of details.

Confusing interrelation of the principal company and subsidiaries and consequent complication of accounts.

Practice of financial legerdemain in issuing large blocks of New Haven stock for notes of the New England Navigation company and manipulating these securities back and forth.

Fictitious sales of New Haven stock to friendly parties with the design of boosting the stock and unloading on the public at higher than market price.

Unlawful diversion of corporate funds to political organizations.

Scattering of retainers to attorneys of five states who rendered no itemized bill for services and who conducted no litigation to which the railroad was party.

Extensive use of paid lobby in matters which directors claim they have no information.

Attempts to control utterances of press by subsidizing reporters.

Payments of money and profligate issue of free passes to legislators and their friends.

Investment of \$400,000 in securities of a New England newspaper.

Political Bosses Hushed.
Regular employment of political bosses in Rhode Island and other states, not for purposes of having them perform any service, but to prevent them, as Mellen expressed it, from becoming active on the other side.

Retention by John L. Billard of more than \$2,700,000 in a transaction in which he represented the New Haven and into which he invested not a dollar.

Story of Mellen as to the distribution of \$1,200,000 for corrupt purposes in bringing about amendments of the Westchester and Port Chester franchises.

FLIRTING



WOMAN TRIES TO BLOW UP CHURCH

Worshipper at Westminster De-
fects Suffraget in Act of
Lighting Fuse.

London, England, July 12.—When Annie Bell was arraigned today for trying yesterday to destroy the famous old church of St. John the Evangelist in Westminster, she said: "I regret the beastly thing did not go off." She congratulated the woman worshipper who had detected her setting fire to the fuse attached to a can of powder, and said her smartness was worthy of a better cause. She advised her to become a militant. The prisoner then stretched herself at full length on a seat, asked a woman warden to give her a pillow and wake her when the case was concluded.

"Good-bye, you paid bull," was her farewell to the magistrate when she was remanded.

8,000 PITTSBURGH STRIKERS RETURN

Trouble in Westinghouse Fac-
tories Ends—All but 200
Are Taken Back.

Pittsburgh, Pa., July 12.—The strike of the Westinghouse factories formally ended today when 8,000 men and women returned to the shops. All strikers were taken back with the exception of a couple of hundred whose places had been filled by men imported during the strike.

TREADWAY ROAD AND GUN CLUB LAUNCHED

(Special to The Argus.)
Springfield, Ill., July 12.—Secretary of State Woods today issued a license to incorporate the Treadway Rod & Gun club of Rock Island, without capital stock. The objects are hunting and fishing. The incorporators are A. D. Sperry, E. H. Guyer and Edward B. Kreis.

Republicans to Meet in Peoria.
Chicago, Ill., July 12.—Peoria has been selected for the republican state convention Sept. 18.

MOST PRISONERS HELD DEFECTIVES

Chicago, Ill., July 12.—Prison populations are composed of deteriorated and defective individuals who fall below the average physical and mental standard, declared Dr. Paul E. Bowers, physician to Indiana state prisons, to a convention here of several hundred alienists and neurologists from all parts of the country. The first day was devoted chiefly to a discussion of protection to society from the partially insane. Seventy-five per cent of 100 prisoners recently classified, said Bowers, had a venereal disease and of these 65 had both kinds of venereal infection. Twenty-five per cent of habitual criminals are feeble-minded.

ROBS CASHIER ON ST. LOUIS STREET

Girl on Way to Bank With Father's Money Has Package Snatched From Her.

St. Louis, Mo., July 12.—A few minutes after Miss Cohen, cashier, started from her father's establishment to bank \$8,000 in checks and cash, a robber darted from a doorway, snatched the package and escaped.

There was \$1,100 in cash and \$6,900 in checks, all wrapped in a newspaper so as not to attract attention. Payment of the checks was stopped.

CLENDENIN WANTS TO BE COUNTY TREASURER

A new candidate to the republican nomination for county treasurer has appeared. It is F. J. Clendenin, former postmaster of East Moline. He is circulating his petition.

Dr. R. C. J. Meyer, Moline, late this afternoon filed his petition as a democratic candidate for sheriff with County Clerk H. B. Hubbard.

REWARDS HONEST GIRL WHO RETURNED MONEY

Frieda Lutz, daughter of Mrs. Caroline Lutz, 1812 Seventeenth street, the little girl who returned five one-dollar bills, which Park Policeman Albert Leidel lost, has been rewarded for her honesty by the owner of the money. He presented her with a little silver watch and one of the bills, and although the reward amounted to more than the money he lost he claims that the honesty of the little girl was well worth it.

MORE APPLICATIONS FILED FOR "EXAMS"

The number of applicants who will take the examinations for teachers to be held here Thursday and Friday, now totals 61, four more having signified their intention of becoming instructors in schools of the county. The tests will be conducted under the direction of Miss Lou Harris, county superintendent of schools.

ROCK ISLAND GIRL AND DAVENPORT MAN WEDDED

Miss Emma Heuer of this city and Tom Larkins of Davenport were united in marriage by Justice of the Peace Carl Kuehl at his office on Third avenue this morning. Following a short honeymoon the couple will reside in Davenport, where Mr. Larkins is employed in a garage.

WATERTOWN GIRL SENT BACK TO STATE SCHOOL

Rose Nickerson of Watertown was declared delinquent in county court this morning and will be sent to the girls' training school at Geneva. The girl, who is 16 years of age, was released on parole on July 2, under the guardianship of Rose Salisbury, police patron of Moline. However, she broke the parole and her parents asked that she be recommitted.

JONES IS TO WIN, PRESIDENT SAYS

Now Confident Chicagoan Will Be Confirmed for Reserve Board by State.

Washington, D. C., July 12.—The president today told callers he was working in complete harmony with a democratic majority in the senate, with one or two exceptions. Wilson said he had definite assurances that Thomas Jones of Chicago would be confirmed as member of the federal reserve board.

The president today continued conferences with businessmen on conditions throughout the country. He saw Raphael Herman of Detroit and Joseph G. Branch, Chicago. Herman, who was introduced by Representative Doremus of Michigan, told Wilson that businessmen in general agreed that anti-trust legislation should be put through at the present session, and that business conditions generally were improving.

SAN FRANCISCO IN AIR THE LONGEST

St. Louis, Mo., July 12.—San Francisco 1915, of Springfield, Mo., the only balloon not reported landed in the national elimination race begun here Saturday, was last heard from passing Dahlgren, Ill., in the flight yesterday morning, headed east. Of seven landed yesterday the Good Year of Akron, Ohio, made the best record, landing at Constance, Ky., 300 miles from St. Louis, in an airline. Progress of the six others was hampered first by lack of a strong current of air and later by a terrific storm miles above the earth. William Trefts, aid to Pilot McCullough of the Uncle Sam, wired that they were carried at one time to an altitude of 19,000 feet in freezing temperature. The gas suddenly contracted and the balloon dropped to earth, where the mercury was near a hundred. Trefts was overcome by heat.

"McCullough reached for the rip cord just as we struck the ground with a terrific thump," said Trefts. "The balloon bounded back in the air about 75 feet, and on the second bound we ripped the bag and the basket settled on the bank of the river safely."

The balloon "San Francisco 1915," landed near McLeansboro, Ill., at 10 Sunday morning, according to a telegram from Pilot Cole.

TWO GIRL BATHERS DROWN, BUT MEN SAVE COMPANION

Eau Claire, Wis., July 12.—Rose McGinnis, aged 24, and Jessie Erlandson, aged 25, drowned yesterday while bathing in the Eau Claire river. A companion, Helen Bartell, of East St. Louis, was saved.

None of the girls was able to swim. All were caught by the swift current and carried beyond their depth.

The girls' cries attracted two men, who rescued Miss Bartell.

Marshalltown, Ia., July 12.—Harry Banford, aged 22, a jeweler, drowned in the Iowa river yesterday afternoon. He was stricken with cramps two minutes after entering the water.

Winchester, Ill., July 12.—Robert Jackson, aged 17, drowned yesterday in the Illinois river while swimming.

CARRANZA TO GET CAPITAL BY TRANSFER

Powers Insisting That
Rebel Chief Deal With
General Carbajal.

HUERTA PLANS TO QUIT

South American Nations Dis-
approve of Enforcement of
Guadalupe Program.

Vera Cruz, July 12.—Four hundred laborers, under orders from Mexico City, began repairing a two-mile gap in railway connections between Vera Cruz and the capital. It is believed the first train to pass over the repaired road will be a special conveying Huerta and family to the coast. The repairs will require two days at the most.

Washington, D. C., July 12.—Mexico City looked today as a place where the next big scene of the Mexican situation can be staged. With Huerta about to quit and turn over affairs to his new foreign minister, Francisco Carbajal, hope was expressed that there might be a peaceful transfer of the government to the constitutionalists and thereby avert military conquest of the capital by their triumphant forces.

Carranza announced his unwillingness to deal with Carbajal, regarding him as a creation of Huerta. It was strongly intimated, however, that if Carranza, after Huerta's elimination, should insist upon his original program of the plan of Guadalupe, which provides for military occupation of the capital, disapproval might be manifested by several European and South American nations. They might refuse to recognize Carranza unless he showed a disposition to give some quarter.

Villa Returns Currency.
El Paso, Tex., July 12.—Five million dollars of constitutionalist currency and a freight car filled with stamping machines, seized several weeks ago at Juarez by Villa's officials and taken to Chihuahua were delivered at Juarez today to a special representative of Carranza. It was reported that Treasurer Aguirre and other Carranza officers held at Chihuahua were at liberty, and would arrive on the border this week. Evacuation of Guaymas, on the California gulf, was still in progress today, according to reports. Huerta troops were waiting for transports to carry them to some point in lower California.

Huerta Orders Road Rebuilt.
London, Eng., July 12.—The manager of Mexican railways cabled today that Huerta had ordered him to reconstruct the portion of the line near Vera Cruz which was destroyed by federalists when Vera Cruz was occupied by Americans.

MYSTIC MONK IS STABBED; MAY DIE

Woman Attacks Russian Who Exerts Great Influence Over Emperor.

St. Petersburg, July 12.—News has been received here that Gregory Rasputin, mystic lay monk, whose influence over the emperor was said to be very great, was probably fatally stabbed while visiting his native province, Tabolsk, Siberia. A woman pretending to be a beggar, approached the monk and stabbed him in the abdomen with a long military dirk. She gave as her reason that he was a false prophet and was leading everybody in Russia astray.

RICH MAN FOUND DEAD IN SQUALOR

Owner of \$60,000 Worth of Illinois Land Expires in a Hut on His Farm.

Danville, Ill., July 12.—Badly decomposed and the eyes eaten out by chickens, the body of William Morrow, living alone in squalor and owner of \$60,000 worth of Illinois land, was found in his hut on his farm, northwest of here. A nephew of the dead man made the discovery when his uncle did not go to his home for his accustomed Sunday dinner.